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In every rural community the schoolhouse is, and rightly so, the social centre and as such is usually generously placed at the disposal of the people of the neighborhood for social entertainment. But the placing of the school at the service of people in the district is an act of grace, not of compulsion. Hence it is as much a duty to preserve order, keep the buildings as reasonably clean as is possible and to avoid conduct and ungentlemanly conduct, as if it were the house of a friend. There was an occurrence a week or so ago at the Meadow Creek school which made it somewhat uncomfortable for the trustees of the school who were compelled to face a situation of the trustees in a building bearing evidence of a sanguinary conflict of a night or so before. A repetition of such occurrence will lead logically to the closing of the schools to many of the social gatherings of some neighborhoods.

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**SOLVES THE UNEMPLOYED PROBLEM.**  
The liquor men are bidding for public sympathy on behalf of the poor working-man who, it is claimed, is thrown out of employment by prohibition. They state that as a result of the vying dry of Arizona, Colorado, Oregon and Washington, some forty local trades unions under the jurisdiction of the Bartenders' International League have disbanded, and their results are predicted. The Labor News (Galveston, Ill.), however, sounds a truer note. It says:

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**Prohibition Vote in July**

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 15.--At a meeting of the executive council of the provincial government, held this afternoon, the date for taking the vote on the question of provincial prohibition was set for Wednesday, July 21.

A fire at Carleton destroyed the elevator of the West Grain Co. with about 5000 bu. of grain. The cause of the fire is unknown.

John S. Mavor, B. A., L. B., of Bassano, a member of the legal firm of Burns & Mavor, was selected as the Conservative nominee for the Bow Valley federal riding.

The Medicine Hat constituency Liberals have elected Dr. O. Boyd to oppose the Conservative nominee, Nelson Spence, M. L. A., at the next federal election.

Married merchants are making a strong fight against the imposition by the town of a business tax.

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